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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Further to Applicants' Reply to Requirement for Restriction filed January 11, 1999,  
kindly amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend claims 1, 2, 3 and 4 as follows:

1. (Amended) A peptide of the formula:  $R^1 - X^1 - X^2 - R^2$

wherein  $X^1$  is [an aromatic amino acid residue] phenyl alanine;

$X^2$  is any amino acid residue;

$R^1$  is  $NH_2$ - or an amino acid sequence  $X^3 - X^4 - X^5$

wherein  $X^3$  is an aliphatic amino acid residue having a side chain hydroxyl group

and  $X^4$  and  $X^5$  are the same or different and are any amino acid residue and wherein  $R^2$  is a

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